

**FEDERAL COMMUNICATIONS COMMISSION  
WASHINGTON, D. C. 20554**

**IN REPLY REFER TO:  
1800B3-KLJ**

February 25, 2010

Clark Parrish  
Radio Assist Ministry, Inc.  
P. O. Box 5459  
Twin Falls, ID 83303

**In re: W288BJ, Millington, TN**  
Facility ID No. 140009  
Silent Since December 15, 2009

Request For Special Temporary  
Authority To Remain Silent

Dear Mr. Parrish:

This letter concerns the request, filed on December 16, 2009, on behalf of Radio Assist Ministry, Inc. ("Radio Assist"), for Special Temporary Authority to permit FM Translator Station W288BJ to remain silent.

Radio Assist's request states that W288BJ went silent on December 15, 2009, for financial reasons. Radio Assist's request includes the appropriate certification regarding Section 5301 of the Anti-Drug Abuse Act of 1988<sup>1</sup>

Radio Assist's request will be granted. Accordingly, Special Temporary Authority is granted to permit Station W288BJ to remain silent not exceed 180 days from the date of this letter. **Notwithstanding the grant of this Special Temporary Authority, the broadcast license for W288BJ will automatically expire as a matter of law if broadcast operations do not commence by 12:01 a.m. , December 16, 2010.**<sup>2</sup> See Section 312(g) of the Communications Act, 47 U.S.C. Section 312(g).

The station's silent status does not suspend the licensee's obligation to comply with all other relevant Commission rules, including the filing, when appropriate, of applications for

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<sup>1</sup> In the event extension of Special Temporary Authority is sought, please renew the certification in this manner.

<sup>2</sup> Notification of resumption of broadcast operations must be mailed to:

Federal Communications Commission  
Attn: 1800B3-DW, Room 2-B450  
445 12<sup>th</sup> Street, S.W.  
Washington, D.C. 20554

renewal of broadcast license. Finally, we note that it is imperative to the safety of air navigation that any prescribed painting and illumination of the station's tower shall be maintained until removed. *See* 47 C.F.R. Sections 17.6 and 73.1740(a)(4).

Sincerely,

A handwritten signature in blue ink, appearing to read 'H. Taft Snowdon', with a stylized, cursive script.

H. Taft Snowdon  
Supervisory Attorney  
Audio Division  
Media Bureau